

**UTILITY  
PATENT APPLICATION  
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Title	Method for Scoring and Delivering to a Reader Test Answer Images for Open-ended Questions
Express Mail Label No.	EV301515527US

**APPLICATION ELEMENTS**

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

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- ☐ Applicant claim small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27
- ☒ Specification [27] Total Pages
- ☒ Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) [10] Total Sheets
- ☒ Suggested drawing figure to be published: Fig. [6]
- ☒ Oath and Declaration [2] Total Pages
- ☐ Newly executed (original or copy)
- ☒ Copy from prior application (37 CFR 1.63 (d))
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO SB 8A
- ☐ Copies of cited references

- ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))

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- ☐ Nonpublication Request Under 35 USC 122(b)(2)(B)(i)
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
- ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
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☒ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP) Prior Application No. 10/113,035Prior application information Examiner Chanda L. Harris Art Unit 3714

For CONTINUATION OF DIVISIONAL APPS only; The entire disclosure of the prior application is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.

**CLAIMS AS FILED**

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